

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Lopez-Rodriguez M., *et al.*
Serial No.: **10/587,792**
Filed: 31 July 2006
Title: DIAZA- OR THIAZADIONE DERIVATIVES WITH
NEUROPROTECTIVE ACTIVITY
Group Art Unit: 1614
Examiner: not yet assigned
Confirmation No.: 5328
Docket No.: **6102-000031/US/NP**
Client Ref.: CEPA II

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RESPONSE TO DECISION ON REQUEST DATED 10 DECEMBER 2007

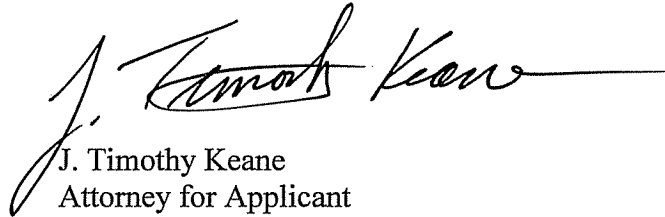
This paper is in response to the Decision On Request dated 10 December 2007. Petition is hereby made for extension of time of two (2) months in which to respond to the present Decision. Authorization is provided herewith to charge the fee due under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2) to Deposit Account No. 08-0750.

Applicant's petition to remove ISABEL MARCO MARTINEZ as an inventor was denied for lack of assignee consent. Applicant submits herewith assignee consent under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b). Further attached to the assignee consent is documentary evidence establishing chain of title from the original owner to the assignee, Schwarz Pharma S.L., per 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).

The assignment documentary evidence is being filed concurrently with the Assignment Branch pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 3.11.

Applicant believes the present application is now in condition for examination on the merits. Should any issues remain, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at the telephone number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Timothy Keane", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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